

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	§	Attorney Docket No.: RPS920000026US1
ATKINS ET AL.	§	
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Serial No.: 09/651,548	§	Examiner: SHIN, KYUNG H.
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Filed: AUGUST 29, 2000	§	
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Title: SYSTEM, METHOD AND	§	Group Art Unit: 2143
PROGRAM FOR MANAGING A USER	§	
KEY USED TO SIGN A MESSAGE	§	
FOR A DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM	§	

AMENDMENT D UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in answer to the Office Action dated **December 27, 2007**, having a shortened statutory period set to expire **March 27, 2008**, extended to **April 27, 2008**.